

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	)
Renato CARETTA	)
Application Serial No. 09/842,662	) Group Art Unit: 1733
Filed: April 27, 2001	) Examiner: Knable, G.
For: TYRE FOR A VEHICLE WHEEL AND METHOD OF MANUFACTURING THE TYRE	RECEIVED  MAR 0 8 2004
Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450	MAR U 8 23
Sir:	

## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicant hereby petitions for a one-month extension of time to reply to the Office Action mailed December 31, 2003. A fee of \$110.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

By:

Respectfully submitted,

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Dated: March 1, 2004

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